IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Confirmation No.: 4797 Cavaleri et al.

APPLICATION NO : 10/713,924 Examiner F Peselev

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TITLE: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR TREATING BACTERIAL INFECTIONS

WITH PROTEIN-DALBAVANCIN

COMPLEXES

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed on March 2, 2007, Applicants respectfully request consideration of the following amendments and remarks intended to place the subject application into form for allowance. A shortened statutory period for responding to the March 2, 2007 Office Action was set to expire three (3) months from the mailing date of the Action, i.e., June 2, 2007. Accordingly, filed concurrently herewith is a Petition for Extension of Time Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the time for responding to the Office Action by three (3) months, such that it expires on September 2, 2007.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper. Remarks/arguments begin on page 5 of this paper. Please amend the above-identified application as provided below.